APPORTIONMENT—CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

CHAPTER 349 26

H. B. No. 67

An Act to apportion the State of Texas Into Congressional Districts, naming the countles and parts of countles composing the districts, providing for the election of a Member of the Congress of the United States from each district; repealing Chapter 286, Acts of the 55th Legislature, Regular Session, 1957; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. The State of Texas is apportioned into Congressional Districts as provided in the following Sections. Each district is entitled to elect one Member to the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States.

Sec. 2. District 1 is composed of Bowie, Camp, Cass, Cherokee, Delta, Franklin, Harrison, Hopkins, Lamar, Marion, Morris, Panola, Red River, Rusk, Shelby, Titus, and Wood Counties.

Sec. 3. District 2 is composed of Anderson, Angelina, Hardin, Henderson, Houston, Jasper, Liberty, Montgomery, Nacogdoches, Newton, Orange, Polk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Trinity, Tyler, and Walker Counties.

Sec. 4. District 3 is composed of that part of Dallas County included in the following:

BEGINNING at the point where the Elm Fork of the Trinity River intersects the common line between Dallas and Denton Counties;

THEN south along the Elm Fork of the Trinity River to Valley View

THEN east along Valley View Lane to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad:

THEN north along the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad to Valwood Parkway;

THEN east along Valwood Parkway to Webbs Chapel Road;

THEN north along Webbs Chapel Road to Crosby Road;

THEN east along Crosby Road to Webbs Chapel Road:

THEN north along Webbs Chapel Road to Belt Line Road;

THEN east along Belt Line Road to Marsh Lane;

THEN south along Marsh Lane to Spring Valley Road;

THEN east along Spring Valley Road to Dooley Road;

THEN south along Dooley Road to Valley View Lane;

THEN east along Valley View Lane to Inwood Road;

THEN south along Inwood Road to Mockingbird Lane;

THEN east along Mockingbird Lane to the west city limit line of Highland Park;

THEN south and east along the south city limit line of Highland Park to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad;

THEN southwest along the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad to Fitzhugh Avenue;

THEN southeast along Fitzhugh Avenue to Central Expressway;

THEN south along Central Expressway to the G.C. & S.F. Railroad;

26. Vernon's Ann.Civ.St. art. 197b, §§ 1-27.

THEN southwest along the G.C. & S.F. Railroad, crossing the Trinity River to Corinth Street;

THEN south along Corinth Street to Lancaster Road (State Highway #342);

THEN south along Lancaster Road to Cedardale Road, and the common city limit line between Dallas and Lancaster;

THEN west, north, west, south and west, along said common city limit line between Dallas and Lancaster to Beckley Avenue (U. S. Highway #77);

THEN south along Beckley Avenue to the south city limit line of the City of Dallas;

THEN west, north and west along the city limit line of Dallas to U.S. Highway #67;

THEN southwest along U. S. Highway #67 to the north city limit line of Cedar Hill;

THEN west, north and west along the north line of Cedar Hill to Clark Road, and the common line between the City of Cedar Hill and the City of Dallas 10.0 foot strip as established by City of Dallas Ordinance No. 9925 on August 19, 1963;

THEN south, west, northwest and southwest along the common city limit line between the City of Dallas and Cedar Hill to Belt Line Road;

THEN northwest along Belt Line Road to Walnut Creek;

THEN west along Walnut Creek to the Dallas-Tarrant County line;

THEN north and east along the Dallas County line to the Elm Fork of the Trinity River, the point of origin.

Sec. 5. District 4 is composed of Collin, Fannin, Grayson, Gregg, Hunt, Kaufman, Rains, Rockwall, Smith, Upshur, and Van Zandt Counties. Sec. 6. District 5 is composed of that part of Dallas County included

in the following:

BEGINNING at the intersection of the north line of Dallas County and Jupiter Road, same being the common line between Commissioners Districts Nos. 1 and 2, and the present east line of the City of Richardson.

THEN south on Jupiter Road and said Commissioners District line to Buckingham Road;

THEN west along Buckingham Road to an inner corner of the City of Dallas city limit line, a point about one-fourth mile west of Plano Road;

THEN south and east with the common city limit line between Dallas and Garland to Groves Road;

THEN west along Groves Road and Northwest Highway to Inwood

THEN south along Inwood Road to Mockingbird Lane;

THEN east along Mockingbird Lane to the west city limit line of Highland Park;

THEN south and east along the city limit line of Highland Park to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad;

THEN southwest along the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad to Fitzhugh Avenue;

THEN southeast along Fitzhugh Avenue to Central Expressway;

THEN south along Central Expressway to the G.C. and S.F. Railroad; THEN southwest along the G.C. and S.F. Railroad, crossing the Trinity River to Corinth Street;

THEN south along Corinth Street to Lancaster Road (State Hwy. #342);

THEN south along Lancaster Road to Simpson Stewart Road;

THEN northeast along Simpson Stewart Road and its extension to the Trinity River;

THEN east along the Trinity River and common line between Commissioners Districts Nos. 2 and 3, to the east line of the G. Marcum Survey, Abstract #980;

THEN north along the east line of G. Marcum Survey, Abstract #980, and said Commissioners District line to Fairport Road extended west;

THEN east, to and along Fairport Road, continuing along said Commissioners District line, to Dowdy Ferry Road;

THEN north along Dowdy Ferry Road and Pleasant Drive, continuing along said Commissioners District line, to Elam Road;

THEN west along Elam Road to Buckner Boulevard;

THEN north along Buckner Boulevard to Bruton Road;

THEN cast along Bruton Road to the common line between Dallas and Balch Springs (a point east of Cheyenne Road);

THEN south along the common city limit line between Dallas and Balch Springs to Lake June Road;

THEN east, northeast and east along Lake June Road to Pioneer Road;

THEN north along Pioneer Road to Cartwright Road;

THEN east along Cartwright Road to Euland Drive;

THEN northeast along Euland Drive to Mesquite Valley Road;

THEN south and east along Mesquite Valley Road to North Mesquite Creek:

THEN north along North Mesquite Creek to the Texas & Pacific Railroad;

THEN east along the Texas & Pacific Railroad, to the east line of Dallas County;

THEN north along the east line of Dallas County to its northeast corner:

THEN west along the north line of Dallas County to Jupiter Road, the point of origin.

Sec. 7. District 6 is composed of Brazos, Ellis, Freestone, Grimes, Hill, Johnson, Leon, Madison, and Navarro Counties; and

(1) that part of Dallas County south of a line beginning at the intersection of the east line of Dallas County and the Texas and Pacific Railroad.

THEN west along the Texas and Pacific Railroad to North Mesquite Creek;

THEN south along North Mesquite Creek to Mesquite Valley Road;

THEN west along Mesquite Valley Road to Euland Drive;

THEN southwest along Euland Drive to Cartwright Road;

THEN west along Cartwright Road to Pioneer Road;

THEN south along Pioncer Road to Lake June Road;

THEN west, southwest, and west along Lake June Road to the common city limit between Dallas and Balch Springs;

THEN north along the common city limit between Dallas and Balch Springs to Bruton Road;

THEN west along Bruton Road to Buckner Boulevard;

THEN south along Buckner Boulevard to Elam Road;

THEN east along Elam Road to Pleasant Drive;

THEN south along Pleasant Drive and Dowdy Ferry Road to Fairport Road:

THEN west along Fairport Road and its extension to the east line of G. Marcum Survey, Abst. No. 980;

THEN south along the east line of G. Marcum Survey, Abst. No. 980 to the Trinity River;

THEN west along the Trinity River to its intersection with the prolongation of Simpson Stewart Road;

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THEN southwest along Simpson Stewart Road to Lancaster Road;

THEN south along Lancaster Road to Cedardale Road and the common city limit line between Dallas and Lancaster;

THEN west, northwest, south, and west along the common city limit line between Dallas and Lancaster to Beckley Avenue;

THEN south along Beckley Avenue to the south city limit line of the City of Dallas;

THEN west, north, and west along the city limit line of Dallas to U.S. Highway 67;

THEN south along U.S. Highway 67 to the north city limit line of Cedar Hill:

THEN west, north, and west along the north city limit line of Cedar Hill to Clark Road and the common city limit line between the City of Cedar Hill and the City of Dallas;

THEN south, west, northwest and southwest along the common city limit line between the City of Dallas and Cedar Hill to Belt Line Road;

THEN northwest along Belt Line Road to Walnut Creek;

THEN west along Walnut Creek to the Dallas-Tarrant County line; and

(2) that part of Tarrant County south of a line beginning at the point where U. S. Highway 377 intersects the common line between Tarrant and Parker Counties;

THEN northeast along U.S. Highway 377 to the city limits of Benprook;

THEN in a generally northeast direction along the western city limits of Benbrook to U. S. Highway 377;

THEN northeast along U.S. Highway 377 to Edgehill Road;

THEN south along Edgehill Road to Old Stove Foundry Road;

THEN northeast along Old Stove Foundry Road to Bryant-Irvin Road to the Clear Fork of the Trinity River;

THEN in a generally northeast direction along the Clear Fork of the Trinity River to the eastern boundary of Forest Park;

THEN southeast along the eastern boundary of Forest Park to Park Place;

THEN east along Park Place to the Gulf, Colorado, and Santa Fe Railroad;

THEN south along the Gulf, Colorado, and Sante Fe Railroad to Bowie Street;

THEN east along Bowie Street to 8th Avenue;

THEN south along 8th Avenue to Biddison Street;

THEN east along Biddison Street to Hemphill Street;

THEN south along Hemphill Street to Seminary Drive;

THEN east along Seminary Drive to the city limits of Fort Worth;

THEN east, northwest, and southeast along the city limits of Fort Worth to Wichita Street;

THEN north along Wichita Street to Martin Street;

THEN east along Martin Street to Miller Avenue;

THEN north along Miller Avenue to Poly-Webb Road;

THEN east along Poly-Webb Road to Interstate Highway 820;

THEN northeast along Interstate Highway 820 to Willard Road;

THEN east along Willard Road to the common city limits of Fort Worth and Arlington;

THEN generally south, northeast and east along the western and southern city limits of Arlington to the city limits of Grand Prairie;

THEN east along the southern city limits of Grand Prairie to its intersection with the common line of Tarrant and Dallas Counties.

Sec. 8. District 7 is composed of that part of Harris County including the following:

BEGINNING with the point where Willow Creek crosses the boundary of Harris and Montgomery Counties westerly along Willow Creek with its meanders to the point where it intersects Kuykendahl Road;

THEN Southeasterly along Kuykendahl Road to the point where same

enters U.S. Highway 75;

THEN Southerly along U.S. Highway 75 to the point where same is

intersected by Greens Bayou;

THEN easterly along Greens Bayou with its meanders to the point where same intersects the right-of-way referred to as the I & GN Railroad right-of-way (the Houston Belt and Terminal Railroad tracks generally parallel to Hardy Street);

THEN along such railroad right-of-way to the point where the said

tracks cross Buffalo Bayou;

THEN along Buffalo Bayou in a westerly direction with its meanders to the point where same intersects Main Street;

THEN southwesterly along Main Street to the point where the same intersects the T & N O Railroad;

THEN southwesterly along the T & N O Railroad to the point where the same intersects Hillcroft Street;

THEN southerly along Hillcroft Street to the point where the same enters U. S. Highway 90A;

THEN southwesterly along U.S. Highway 90A to the point where the same intersects Blue Ridge Street;

THEN southerly along Blue Ridge Street to the point where the same intersects the boundary between Harris and Ft. Bend Counties;

THEN beginning in a northwesterly direction following the Harris County boundary to the point of origin.

Sec. 9. District 8 is composed of that part of Harris County included in the following:

BEGINNING with the point where Willow Creek crosses the boundary of Harris and Montgomery Counties westerly along Willow Creek with its meanders to the point where it intersects Kuykendahl Road;

THEN southeasterly along Kuykendahl Road to the point where same enters U. S. Highway 75;

THEN southerly along U. S. Highway 75 to the point where same is intersected by Greens Bayou;

THEN easterly along Greens Bayou with its meanders to the point where same intersects the right-of-way referred to as the I & GN Railroad right-of-way (the Houston Belt and Terminal Railroad tracks generally parallel to Hardy Street);

THEN along such railroad right-of-way to the point where the said tracks cross Buffalo Bayou;

THEN along Buffalo Bayou in a westerly direction with its meanders to the point where same intersects Main Street;

THEN southwesterly along Main Street to its intersection with Tuam Street;

THEN southeasterly along Tuam Street to its intersection with Bastrop Street;

THEN northeasterly along Bastrop Street to its intersection with McGowen Street;

THEN southeasterly along McGowen Street to the point where it is crossed by the Houston Belt and Terminal Railroad;

THEN northeasterly along the Houston Belt and Terminal Railroad right-of-way to Interstate Highway 45 (sometimes known as the Gulf

THEN southeasterly along Interstate Highway 45 (sometimes known as the Gulf Freeway) to Plum Creek;

THEN northerly and easterly along Plum Creek with its meanders to its intersection with Sims Bayou;

THEN northerly and easterly along Sims Bayou with its meanders to its intersection with the Houston Ship Channel;

THEN easterly along the Houston Ship Channel to the Harris County boundary line;

THEN following the Harris County boundary line following its east and north boundaries to the point of origin.

Sec. 10. District 9 is composed of Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, and Jefferson Counties and that part of Brazoria County included in the following:

BEGINNING at a point where the Brazos River intersects the common line between Brazoria and Fort Bend Counties;

THEN south along the Brazos River to State Highway 35:

THEN east along State Highway 35 to Farm Road 521;

THEN north along Farm Road 521 to State Highway 288;

THEN north along State Highway 288 to Farm Road 1462;

THEN east along Farm Road 1462 to Chocolate Bayou;

THEN south along Chocolate Bayou to Lost Bay;

THEN south along Lost Bay to Chocolate Bay;

THEN east along Chocolate Bay to West Bay;

THEN east along West Bay to the Brazoria County line;

THEN northwest and west along the Brazoria County line to the Brazos River, the point of origin.

Sec. 11. District 10 is composed of Austin, Bastrop, Blanco, Burleson, Burnet, Caldwell, Colorado, Fayette, Hays, Lee, Travis, Waller, Washington, Wharton, and Williamson Counties.

Sec. 12. District 11 is composed of Bell, Bosque, Coryell, Falls, Hood, Limestone, McLennan, Milam, Parker, Robertson, and Somervell Counties. Sec. 13. District 12 is that part of Tarrant County not included in

Sec. 14. District 13 is composed of Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cooke, Denton, Dickens, Foard, Hardeman, Jack, Kent, King, Knox, Montague, Stonewall, Wichita, Wilbarger, Wise, and Young Counties and that part of Dallas County included in the following:

BEGINNING at the point where the Elm Fork of the Trinity River intersects the common line between Dallas and Denton Counties;

THEN south along the Elm Fork of the Trinity River to Valley View

THEN east along Valley View Lane to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad;

THEN north along the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad to Valwood Parkway;

THEN east along Valwood Parkway to Webbs Chapel Road;

THEN north along Webbs Chapel Road to Crosby Road; THEN east along Crosby Road to Webbs Chapel Road;

THEN north along Webbs Chapel Road to Belt Line Road;

THEN east along Belt Line Road to Marsh Lane:

THEN south along Marsh Lane to Spring Valley Road;

THEN east along Spring Valley Road to Dooley Road;

THEN south along Dooley Road to Valley View Lane;

THEN east along Valley View Lane to Inwood Road;

THEN south along Inwood Road to Northwest Highway;

THEN east along Northwest Highway and Groves Road to the common city limit line between Dallas and Garland;

THEN north, west, and north along the common city limit line between Dallas and Garland to Buckingham Road;

THEN east along Buckingham Road to Jupiter Road;

THEN north along Jupiter Road to the north line of Dallas County; THEN west along the Dallas County line to the Elm Fork of the Trinity River, the point of origin.

Sec. 15. District 14 is composed of Aransas, Calhoun, Goliad, Jackson, Live Oak, Matagorda, Nueces, Refugio, San Patricio, and Victoria Counties and that part of Brazoria County not included in District 9.

Sec. 16. District 15 is composed of Brooks, Cameron, Hidalgo, Jim

Hogg, Kenedy, Kleberg, Starr, Willacy, and Zapata Counties.

Sec. 17. District 16 is composed of Brewster, Culberson, El Paso, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Loving, Pecos, Presidio, Reeves, Terrell, Ward, and Winkler Counties.

Sec. 18. District 17 is composed of Brown, Callahan, Coke, Coleman, Comanche, Concho, Eastland, Erath, Fisher, Glasscock, Hamilton, Haskell, Howard, Jones, Mills, Mitchell, Nolan, Palo Pinto, Runnels, Shackelford, Stephens, Sterling, Taylor, and Throckmorton Counties.

Sec. 19. District 18 is composed of Armstrong, Bailey, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lamb, Lipscomb, Moore, Motley, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher, and Wheeler Counties.

Sec. 20. District 19 is composed of Andrews, Borden, Cochran, Crosby, Dawson, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Hale, Hockley, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Scurry, Terry, and Yoakum Counties.

Sec. 21. District 20 is composed of that part of Bexar County not included in Districts 21 and 23.

Sec. 22. District 21 is composed of Bandera, Comal, Crane, Crockett, Ector, Edwards, Gillespie, Irion, Kendall, Kerr, Kimble, Kinney, Lampasas, Llano, McCulloch, Mason, Menard, Reagan, Real, San Saba, Schleicher, Sutton, Tom Green, Upton, Uvalde, and Val Verde Counties and that part of Bexar County included in the following:

BEGINNING at the point where Culebra Road intersects the common line between Bexar and Medina Counties;

THEN southeast along Culebra Road to 38th Street;

THEN south along 38th Street to Mayberry Street;

THEN east along Mayberry Street to Camino Santa Maria;

THEN north along Camino Santa Maria to Woodlawn Avenue;

THEN east along Woodlawn Avenue to Saint Cloud Road;

THEN north along Saint Cloud Road to Babcock Road;

THEN northwest along Babcock Road to Danville Street;

THEN northeast along Danville Street to the city limits of San Antonio:

THEN northeast along the city limits of San Antonio to Spencer Lane;

THEN east along Spencer Lane to Vance-Jackson Drive;

THEN north along Vance-Jackson Drive to El Monte Boulevard;

THEN east along El Monte Boulevard to West Avenue;

THEN south along West Avenue to Mariposa;

THEN east along Mariposa to San Pedro Avenue;

THEN south along San Pedro Avenue to Norwood Court;

THEN east along Norwood Court to the boundary line of Olmos Park;

THEN east along the southern and north along the eastern boundary of Olmos Park to Olmos Dam;

THEN northeast along Olmos Dam to the boundary of Alamo Heights; THEN south and east along the southern boundary of Alamo Heights to the boundary of Terrell Hills;

THEN east along the southern and north along the eastern boundary of Terrell Hills to the northern boundary of Fort Sam Houston;

THEN east along the northern and south along the eastern boundary of Fort Sam Houston to the Texas and New Orleans Railroad;

THEN northeast along the Texas and New Orleans Railroad to the city limits of San Antonio;

THEN north along the city limits of San Antonio to U. S. Highway 81; THEN northeast along U. S. Highway 81 to the common line between Guadalupe and Bexar Counties.

THEN north, west, and south along the Bexar County line to Culebra Road, the point of origin.

Sec. 23. District 22 is composed of that part of Harris County included in the following:

BEGINNING at the intersection of the center line of Blue Ridge Street with the boundary line between Harris and Fort Bend Counties:

THEN northerly along Blue Ridge Street to the point where Blue Ridge Street enters U. S. Highway 90A;

THEN in a northeasterly direction along U. S. Highway 90A to the point where Hillcroft Street enters U. S. Highway 90A;

THEN northerly along Hillcroft Street to the point where the same intersects the T&NO Railroad right-of-way;

THEN in a northeasterly direction along the T&NO Railroad to the point where the same intersects Main Street;

THEN northeasterly along Main Street to its intersection with Tuam Street;

THEN southeasterly along Tuam Street to its intersection with Bastrop Street;

THEN northeasterly along Bastrop Street to its intersection with Mc-Gowen Street;

THEN southeasterly along McGowen Street to the point where it is crossed by the Houston Belt and Terminal Railroad:

THEN northeasterly along the Houston Belt and Terminal Railroad right-of-way to Interstate Highway 45 (sometimes known as the Gulf Freeway);

THEN southeasterly along Interstate Highway 45 (sometimes known as the Gulf Freeway) to Plum Creek;

THEN northerly and easterly along Plum Creek with its meander to its intersection with Sims Bayou;

THEN northerly and easterly along Sims Bayou with its meander to its intersection with the Houston Ship Channel;

THEN easterly along the Houston Ship Channel to the Harris County boundary line;

THEN following the Harris County boundary line southerly and westerly to the point of origin.

Sec. 24. District 23 is composed of Atascosa, Bee, DeWitt, Dimmit, Duval, Frio, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Jim Wells, Karnes, La Salle, Lavaca, Maverick, McMullen, Medina, Webb, Wilson, and Zavala Counties and that part of Bexar County included in the following:

BEGINNING at the point where Culebra Road intersects the common line between Bexar and Medina Counties;

THEN southeast along Culebra Road to 38th Street; THEN south along 38th Street to Castroville Road;

THEN southwest along Castroville Road to the boundary of Lackland Air Force Base;

THEN south and west along the southern boundary of Lackland Air Force Base to Kelly Field;

THEN east along the southern boundary of Kelly Field to the city limits of San Antonio;

THEN north along the city limits of San Antonio to Military Road;

THEN east along Military Road to Somerset Road;

THEN northeast along Somerset Road to Southcross Boulevard;

THEN east along Southcross Boulevard to Commercial Boulevard;

THEN south along Commercial Boulevard to Military Road;

THEN east along Military Road to Pleasanton Road;

THEN south along Pleasanton Road to Ware Street;

THEN east along Ware Street to Flores Street; THEN south along Flores Street to Airport Road;

THEN east along Airport Road to Roosevelt Avenue;

THEN north along Roosevelt Avenue to Military Highway:

THEN southeast along Military Highway to the boundary of Brooks

Air Force Base; THEN south along the western, east along the southern, and north

THEN south along the western, east along the southern, and north along the eastern boundary of Brooks Air Force Base to Goliad Road;

THEN north along Goliad Road to Hot Wells Avenue;

THEN west along Hot Wells Avenue to Clark Avenue;

THEN north along Clark Avenue to Grover Street;

THEN east along Grover Street to Dollarhide Street; THEN north along Dollarhide Street to Hiawatha Street;

THEN east along Hiawatha Street to Elgin Street;

THEN north along Elgin Street to Villa Real Street;

THEN east along Villa Real Street to Mozart Street;

THEN north along Mozart Street to Hicks Avenue;

THEN east along Hicks Avenue to Amanda Avenue;

THEN north along Amanda Avenue to Rigsby Avenue;

THEN east along Rigsby Avenue to Artesia Avenue;

THEN north along Artesia Avenue to Nebraska Street;

THEN west along Nebraska Street to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad;

THEN north along the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad to the boundary of Fort San Houston;

THEN north along the eastern boundary of Fort Sam Houston to the Texas and New Orleans Railroad;

THEN northeast along the Texas and New Orleans Railroad to the city limits of San Antonio;

THEN north along the city limits of San Antonio to U. S. Highway 81; THEN northeast along U. S. Highway 81 to the common line between Bexar and Guadalupe Counties;

THEN south, west, and north along the Bexar County line to Culebra Road, the point of origin.

Sec. 25. Wherever in this Act reference is made to a city limit it means the city limit as it existed in 1960 as reflected in census tract maps prepared and published by the United States Bureau of the Census. Wherever a street, highway, road, drive, avenue, railroad, or other identification is named to define the boundary of a district it means the center line of the boundary identification. Wherever a street or other boundary identification is described as intersecting another street or boundary identification and they do not actually intersect, the named streets or boundary identifications shall be extended so as to intersect one another.

Sec. 26. Chapter 286, Acts of the 55th Legislature, Regular Session, 1957 (Article 197a, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is repealed.²⁷

Sec. 27. Nothing in this Act shall affect the tenure in office of the present delegation in Congress, but this Act takes effect for the General Election in 1966, and thereafter until this law is changed by the Legislature of this State.

Sec. 28. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the Calendars in both Houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and the Rule is hereby suspended; and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Passed by the House on May 5, 1965, by a non-record vote; House refused to concur in Senate amendments on May 27, 1965, and requested the appointment of a Conference Committee to consider the differences between the two Houses; House adopted the Conference Committee Report on May 30, 1965: Yeas 85, Nays 55; passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 26, 1965, by a viva-voce vote; at the request of the House, the Senate appointed a Conference Committee to consider the differences between the two Houses; Senate adopted the Conference Committee Report on May 30, 1965: Yeas 18, Nays 12.

Approved June 9, 1965.

Effective Aug. 30, 1965, 90 days after date of adjournment.

MOTOR VEHICLES—OPERATORS' LICENSES

CHAPTER 350

H. B. No. 154

An Act permitting a person holding a valid license as an operator to drive certain motor vehicles; amending Subsection 4a, Section 3, Chapter 173, Acts of the 47th Legislature, Regular Session, 1941, as amended; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Subsection 4a, Section 3, Chapter 173, Acts of the 47th Legislature, Regular Session, 1941, as added by Section 1, Chapter 147, Acts of the 52nd Legislature, 1951 (codified as Subsection 4a, Section 3, Article 6687b, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended 28 to read as follows:

"4a. A person operating a truck with a manufacturer's rated carrying capacity not to exceed 2,000 pounds, which is intended to include trucks commonly known as pickup trucks, panel delivery trucks, station wagons, and carry-all trucks, who holds an operator's license, shall not be required to obtain a commercial operator's license."

Sec. 2. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the Calendars in both Houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on

27. Vernon's Ann.Civ.St. art. 197a.

28. Vernon's Ann.Civ.St. art. 6687b, § 3, subsec. 4a.